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**Response to Notification of Missing Requirements**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Madam:

In response to the Formalities Letter dated April 2, 2008, enclosed herewith are the following:

1. My check in the amount of \$140, in payment for the \$75 additional claims fee and the \$65 surcharge, based upon applicant's Small Entity status. Please charge any deficiency to my credit card, in accordance with the enclosed Authorization.
2. Original Declaration, signed by all 3 inventors.
3. Copy of the Formalities Letter.

Applicant requests an early Office Action on the merits. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

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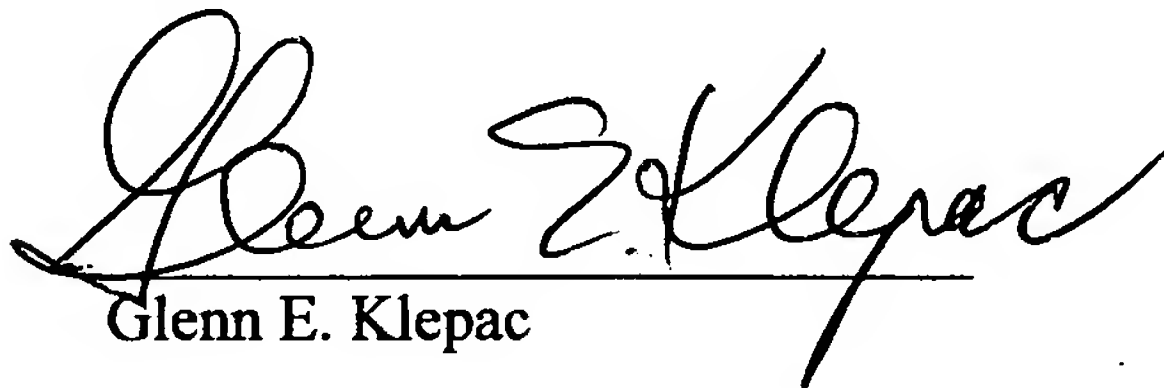
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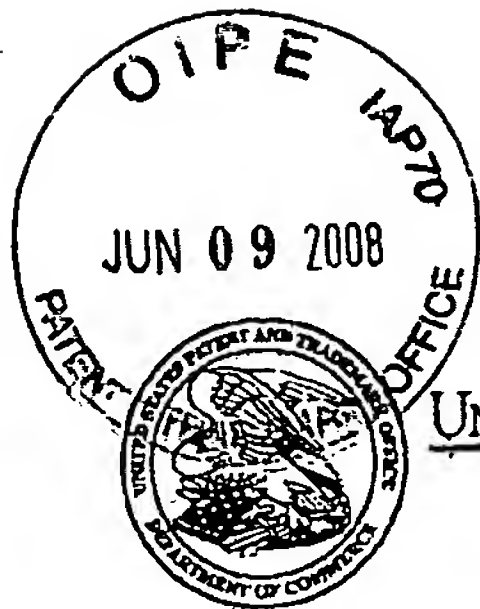
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371 FORMALITIES LETTER



Date Mailed: 04/02/2008

**NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371  
IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application filed on 08/24/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 08/24/2006
- Copy of Annexes to the IPER filed on 08/24/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 08/24/2006
- Oath or Declaration filed on 08/24/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 08/24/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 08/24/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Additional claim fees of \$75 as a small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - THE OATH IS ILLEGIBLE.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fees required for this application is \$140 for a Small Entity:

- \$65 Surcharge.

Additionally the following defects have been observed:

- Annexes have not been entered because ART 34 SPEC PAGES ARE NOT A PAGE FOR PAGE SUBSTITUTION AND THE IPEA 409 DID NOT CANCEL CLAIM 35..

Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$75

- \$75 for 18 total claims over 20.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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